

EXHIBIT J

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

-vs-

. 10-CR-219S

TONAWANDA COKE CORPORATION
MARK L. KAMHOLZ,

Defendants.

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the Honorable William M. Skretny, U.S.
Courthouse, 2 Niagara Circle, Buffalo,
New York on March 6, 2013.

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1 A. Yes, please.

2 Q. Okay. Understandable. And I'll try to make
3 this quick. But let me ask it this way.

4 Between the time of the -- what you say was the
5 Friday conversation with Mr. Kamholz, and the start
6 of the inspection, Mr. Kamholz didn't come to you
7 to make sure you had done something about the
8 pressure relief valve, true?

9 A. True.

10 Q. And during the entire period of the inspection,
11 Mr. Kamholz never came to you to say now you've
12 taken care of this, Pat, right?

13 A. True.

14 Q. And you told us that during the inspection that
15 the PRV actually went off, right?

16 A. Yes, it did.

17 Q. And after that happened, you agree, Mr. Kamholz
18 never came to you and said, Pat, what did you do,
19 is that true?

20 A. Yes.

21 Q. And after that, up to the present, Mr. Kamholz
22 has never discussed with you anything further about
23 that pressure relief valve, true?

24 A. True.

25 Q. I now want to talk about what happened in the